

Business success a team effort: mayor

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Mississauga is recognized as one of the best managed cities in Canada and Mayor Hazel McCallion says it's because business and government work together.

She spoke at the Mississauga Board of Trade's annual Mayor's address luncheon today to a packed house at the Mississauga Convention centre.

"We had a vision of how we can create a great city, and the people of Mississauga did it, not the Mayor," she said. "The success of the city is because we've done it together."

She said the best ambassadors for the city are business leaders going to another part of the world and saying what a great place Mississauga is to do business.

She admitted the current economic downturn has created challenges for everyone, but she hopes the federal government will come through to provide funding, especially for public transportation.

During her 30 years as Mayor, McCallion said she is most proud of building a city that looked after the needs of families first.

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